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Re: U.S. Serial No. 09/914,995

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Applicant Initiated Interview Request Form

Application No.: 09/914,995
Examiner: Anh LyFirst Named Applicant: Becker, Norbert
Art Unit: 2162 Status of Application: AFTER FINAL

Tentative Participants:

(1) Examiner Ly (2) Andrew Waxman
(3) _____ (4) _____Proposed Date of Interview: 2/24/05Proposed Time: 9³⁰ (AM/PM)

Type of Interview Requested:

(1) ☐ Telephonic (2) ☒ Personal (3) ☐ Video ConferenceExhibit To Be Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ YES

If yes, provide brief description: _____

~~YES~~

Issues To Be Discussed

| Issues (Rej., Obj., etc) | Claims/ Fig. #s | Prior Art | Discussed | Agreed | Not Agreed |
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| (1) <u>Rej</u> | <u>1, 8</u> | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
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| (4) _____ | _____ | _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Continuation Sheet Attached | | | | | |

Brief Description of Arguments to be Presented:

- Caloudeman nor Fraley teaches limitations of claims 1 & 8
- Combination of Caloudeman & Fraley is improper (no motivation)

An interview was conducted on the above-identified application on _____.

NOTE: This form should be completed by applicant and submitted to the examiner in advance of the interview (see MPEP § 713.01).

This application will not be delayed from issue because of applicant's failure to submit a written record of this interview. Therefore, applicant is advised to file a statement of the substance of this interview (37 CFR 1.133(b)) as soon as possible.

Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature _____

Examiner/SPE Signature _____

Typed/Printed Name of Applicant or Representative _____

Registration Number, if applicable _____

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